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Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims replaces all prior versions and listings of claims:

Listing of Claims:

1-12. (Canceled)

13. (Currently amended) The facsimile according to claim ~~12~~ 14, wherein the predetermined algorithm used by the cancellation instruction acceptance section is an algorithm whereby in case information concerning the job managed as the running or waiting job by the facsimile control section is displayed on the display unit, the job is selected.

14. (Currently amended) ~~The~~ A facsimile ~~according to claim 12~~ comprising:

a display unit;

an input unit;

a facsimile control section for executing, in parallel, jobs including:

a read job for generating facsimile data based on a manuscript to be transmitted via facsimile;

a facsimile transmission job for transmitting facsimile data to a specified facsimile destination;

a facsimile reception job for receiving and storing transmitted facsimile data; and

a print job for printing facsimile data received and stored by the facsimile reception job; and

a cancellation instruction acceptance section for executing an instruction input await processing for awaiting an operation on the input unit in a state where information to prompt input of an instruction on whether to cancel an arbitrary job managed as a running or waiting job by the facsimile control section is displayed on the display unit, wherein

one of jobs is selected by way of a predetermined algorithm from the running or waiting jobs by the facsimile control section when the button on the input unit is pressed to cancel the job.

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the cancellation instruction acceptance section executes the instruction input await processing on the selected job, and

the predetermined algorithm used by the cancellation instruction acceptance section is an algorithm whereby in case the facsimile control section is executing the read job, the read job is selected, whereby in case the facsimile control section is not executing the read job and the facsimile control section is managing the facsimile transmission job as a running or waiting job, the facsimile transmission job is selected, and whereby in case the facsimile control section is not executing the read job and the facsimile control section is not managing a facsimile transmission job as a running or waiting job, but managing the print job as a running or waiting job, the print job is selected.

15. (Currently amended) ~~The~~ A facsimile ~~according to claim 12~~ comprising:

a display unit;

an input unit;

a facsimile control section for executing, in parallel, jobs including:

a read job for generating facsimile data based on a manuscript to be transmitted via facsimile;

a facsimile transmission job for transmitting facsimile data to a specified facsimile destination;

a facsimile reception job for receiving and storing transmitted facsimile data; and

a print job for printing facsimile data received and stored by the facsimile reception job; and

a cancellation instruction acceptance section for executing an instruction input await processing for awaiting an operation on the input unit in a state where information to prompt input of an instruction on whether to cancel an arbitrary job managed as a running or waiting job by the facsimile control section is displayed on the display unit, wherein

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one of jobs is selected by way of a predetermined algorithm from the running or waiting jobs by the facsimile control section when the button on the input unit is pressed to cancel the job,

the cancellation instruction acceptance section executes the instruction input await processing on the selected job,

the facsimile control section manages a plurality of the facsimile transmission jobs and a plurality of the print jobs, and ~~wherein~~

the predetermined algorithm used by the cancellation instruction acceptance section is an algorithm whereby in case the facsimile control section is executing the read job, the read job is selected, whereby in case the facsimile control section is not executing the read job and the facsimile control section is managing one or more facsimile transmission jobs as one or more running or waiting jobs, the facsimile transmission job whose management start time by the facsimile control section is the latest is selected, and whereby in case the facsimile control section is not executing a read job and the facsimile control section is not managing a facsimile transmission job as a running or waiting job, but managing one or more print jobs as one or more running or waiting jobs, a print job whose management start time by the facsimile control section is the earliest is selected.

16. (Currently amended) The facsimile according to claim ~~12~~ 14, wherein the instruction input await processing executed by the cancellation instruction acceptance section changes a target job when a predetermined operation is made on the input unit.

17. (Currently amended) The facsimile according to claim ~~12~~ 14, wherein the facsimile control section cancels the job without making an inquiry to the user about whether to cancel the job in case a job must be canceled.

18. (Currently amended) An information processing apparatus comprising:

a display unit;

an input unit;

a job execution section for executing a plurality of jobs in parallel, and

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a cancellation instruction acceptance section for executing an instruction input await processing for awaiting an operation on the input unit in a state where information to prompt input of an instruction on whether to cancel each job being executed by the job execution section and each job to be executed by the job execution section is displayed on the display unit, wherein

the job is selected by way of a predetermined algorithm from the jobs being executed by the job execution section and the jobs to be executed by the job execution section when a predetermined button provided on the input unit is pressed to cancel the job, and wherein

the cancellation instruction acceptance section starts the instruction input await processing on the selected job,

the job execution section executes:

a read job for generating image data of a manuscript by using a scanner,

a facsimile transmission job for transmitting facsimile data to a specified facsimile destination,

a facsimile reception job for receiving and storing transmitted facsimile data, and

a print job for printing facsimile data generated by the read job and facsimile data received by the facsimile reception job

the predetermined algorithm used by the cancellation instruction acceptance section is an algorithm whereby in case the job execution section is executing the read job, the read job is selected, whereby in case the job execution section is not executing the read job and the job execution section is managing the facsimile transmission job as a running or waiting job, the facsimile transmission job is selected, and whereby in case the job execution section is not executing the read job and the job execution section is not managing a facsimile transmission job as a running or waiting job, but managing the print job as a running or waiting job, the print job is selected.

19-22. (Canceled)

23. (New) The facsimile according to claim 15, wherein the predetermined algorithm used by the cancellation instruction acceptance section is an algorithm whereby in case information concerning the job managed as the running or waiting job by the facsimile control section is displayed on the display unit, the job is selected.

24. (New) The facsimile according to claim 15, wherein the instruction input await processing executed by the cancellation instruction acceptance section changes a target job when a predetermined operation is made on the input unit.

25. (New) The facsimile according to claim 15, wherein the facsimile control section cancels the job without making an inquiry to the user about whether to cancel the job in case a job must be canceled.

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